December 8, 1969

MEMORANDUM FOR PETER FLANIGAN

FROM: Henry A. Kissinger

Reference your memorandum of December 1 concerning Paris, I would be grateful if you would handle contacts with Bill Scranton as a matter best processed under your purview.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

December 1, 1969

TO:

DR. KISSINGER

FROM:

PETER FLANIGAN

Walter Thayer has declined Paris. I suggest you go right ahead in your discussions with Bill Scranton. I would be surprised if he takes it, but I think he would be an excellent choice if he did agree. I would appreciate knowing his response as soon as possible as we have some alternatives that we can readily pursue if he declines. If you wish me to discuss it with Scranton, I would be happy to do so.